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THE Political economy BY ED MEADOWS

Banking on the future

Ah yes. It rather amuses one to watch the antics of the local news media in covering national economic developments such as the major banking legislation now before the U.S. House of Representatives. Local reporters aver that this legislation is brand new and quite revolutionary. But how? They never say, nor do they get around to mentioning even a single specific proposal embodied in the bill. Instead, these sundry journalists and patriots flash their microphones in front of a few banking officials, all of whom cough and hoarsely declare that, actually, "it's too early to tell" what effect the legislation would have. In other words, they don't know either.

Then let us fill the void. We'll examine the banking bill passed by the Senate December 12 by a 79 to 14 vote. First note that the bill is nothing especially new. It grew out of a banking study done by the Nixon-appointed Hunt Commission in 1970. Various forms of the bill have been brought before one or another chamber of Congress for a few years now, and none have had a prayer of success. That is, until this year. For the first time, it looks as if a banking bill might have a small chance of passing through the Congressional gauntlet relatively intact. A small chance, but nevertheless a chance.

Far from offering revolutionary new provisions, the bill just passed by the Senate merely promises to recognize reality. Here is what it's about:

1. In the 1960's, Mutual Savings Banks in Massachusetts developed the "negotiable-order-of-withdrawal" account, the NOW account, which in reality is a savings account that is almost a checking account. In other words, NOW account savers are able to use withdrawal orders as if they are checks. The order, like a check, permits the bearer to withdraw an amount from the savings account of the person who gave him the withdrawal order. A checking account, then, that pays interest. The NOW account soon spread to other New England states, and with the coming of computerized banking, it promises to spread farther whether lawmakers like it or not. After all, electronic transfer of funds blurs the distinction between checking and savings accounts. This is so because the computer allows instantaneous transfer of money from one account to another. For example, suppose you had a savings account and a checking account, both at one bank. With electronic transfer, you could keep your balance in the savings account, where it would earn interest, and then, by a telephone call, have some of it transferred to the checking account when you wanted to buy something. The bill's provision for nationwide NOW accounts will simply make this more convenient by dispensing with the bother of maintaining two accounts.

The bill will also allow "national" banks to offer interest on their regular checking accounts, but this wouldn't start until 1978. This is merely the inverse of allowing savings accounts to be subject to "checks" (negotiable withdrawal orders). It all comes down to the fact that your bank account will pay interest.

2. For a number of years now, savings and loan institutions, which take in savings accounts and lend out home mortgage money, have been hurt by the Federal Reserve's "Regulation Q" limiting the interest S&Ls can pay on their savings deposits. When interest rates go above the ceiling, as they have often done, money flows out of the S&Ls, thus restricting home mortgages available to consumers. This is only natural. Why would you put your money in a savings account to earn, say, 6 per cent when government bonds pay 8 per cent?

The answer, of course, is to remove the Federal Reserve ceiling on savings account interest payments, so S&Ls, mutual savings banks, and commercial banks, but especially S&Ls, can become competitive with other earning assets. This is what the bill proposes. (However, the proposal wouldn't go into effect for more than five years, since savings and loan associations are already committed to long-term mortgages at low interest rates. If the Reg Q ceiling were lifted overnight, S&Ls would be paying out higher interest than they were earning.)

The bill would also remove interest-rate ceilings on FHA and VA mortgages, since these have only worked to restrict such mortgages in times of high interest rates.

3. Now obviously with savings and loans, mutual savings banks, commercial banks and even credit unions all in competition, all offering interest-bearing checking accounts with unregulated interest, why no go ahead and eliminate some of the other restrictions that make these institutions different from each other? If they are going to compete, the competition might as well be equitable. Thus the Senate proposal will allow savings and loan institutions to offer consumer loans and issue credit cards. They would no longer be restricted to home mortgages. On the other hand, banks would be permitted to invest more heavily in mortgage and real estate loans, traditionally the province of S&Ls. Commercial banks would also be allowed to offer savings accounts to their corporate customers for the first time. Credit unions chartered by the federal government would be allowed to offer checking accounts and to make home mortgage loans.

The bill contains other measures, such as one to consolidate all government agencies that regulate banks, but these proposals are of interest mainly to bankers. The importance of the bill is to be found in its effects on consumers. First, it will allow everyone who has a bank account to earn a little interest on the side -- at the highest market rates. Right now you merely lose money by keeping it in a checking account. At many banks, a service charge is deducted from your account each month, this being a negative interest rate. Even without considering the service charge, your idle account is depreciating as inflation grows.

Not the least of the proposal's effects would be to greatly increase competition in the banking business. With commercial banks, savings and loan associations, mutual savings banks, and even credit unions offering checking accounts that pay interest (probably to be called debit-credit accounts in the future), in order to attract depositers banks will have to provide more services at lower costs. With all such institutions able to make consumer loans and home mortgages, credit will become much more widely available.

Passage of the banking reform legislation will prove to be quite expansionary for the economy over the long run, for more people than ever will be induced to hold bank accounts. This means certain technical determinants of the money supply (velocity, the base money multiplier) will grow. Thus will the money supply move on a positive path regardless of what the Fed does.

The legislation, then, is worthy of Congressional approval.

cheap shots

The USC approach to notoriety

Despite failure in previous attempts to build the University of South Carolina into a nationally-prominent institution, USC's Board of Trustees have finally found a way of thrusting appropriate recognition upon the school.

Back in the 1960s, the accepted route for achieving collegiate renown was the highly taunted multi-prong approach. First, bring in a nationally known football coach and build a winning program on the gridiron. Second, bring in a nationally respected educator as the university president and initiate a series of courses and programs designed to rehabilitate the academic side. Finally, bring in a nationally recognized businessman, replace old buildings with new ones, and get the enrollment over 20,000.

Unfortunately, most of these efforts have failed. Dietzel gave it his best, but finally succumbed when even Astroturf and a new stadium couldn't provide him with a winning team. Dr. Thomas Jones gave it his best, and was even partly successful in his own right, but to the Trustees his medicine was worse than the disease, so they politely but forcefully asked him to pack his educational medical bag and depart. And finally, Harold Brunton, as university business affairs chief, has done his best too. The USC skyline has changed dramatically, but students complain he has merely substituted concrete for greenery, and that most of the super new architecture will be super old in just a few years.

However, it appears now the Board is trying the 1970s approach. Unlike the multi-prong attack of the '60s, the new method is purely one dimensional. Pioneered by Richard Nixon, the approach calls for subjecting the institution to charges of scandal -- a proven method for getting headlines and national recognition.

The first hint that the Trustees were altering their original game plan came with the ouster of Jones. Scandal surrounded this move and the university got more coverage in a few weeks than they had for years. Next, the Board installed a yes-man as president, which resulted in additional charges. Just when things had quieted for awhile, the new university president, Dr. William H. Patterson, announced a controversial reorganization of the school's administrative superstructure. Again, the school was flailed. Then, Patterson announced he was torpedoing several of the advanced academic programs created under Jones. The downfall of Contemporary University brought charges that the university was in a total educational regression.

Hardly had the smoke settled on these developments, when the Board found they could gain even more notoriety by embroiling the USC law school in controversy. The first effort involved the unseating of several law professors who were critical of some aspects of the school. The Trustee's success here proved so remarkable they deemed that additional negative publicity could be gleaned this area. They followed up by politicizing the law school's admission policy. This move touched off such a wave of scandal charges that the action even drew a critical editorial from The State newspaper. The venture was so profitable, in fact, that the law school had to be investigated by the American Bar Association to determine if it could keep its accreditation. Bingo! The Trustees knew they were on the right track now. Just one more big score and USC would be one of the most notorious academic institutions in the country.

Inevitably, the school's policy makers cast their eyes in the direction of the fledgling medical school. The time was right, the school was ripe. And the Board's success has again been splashed over the state's

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--press critic A.J. Liebling

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Whitewash on the black killings

by Bob Thompson

A lack of communication, the South Carolina Municipal Association protests. A necessary compromise, explains the Governor's press secretary. Not enough time, contends the Columbia city manager. "A very racist position," claims the state Human Affairs Commissioner.

Whatever the reasons, and whoever the resident pundit is, the fact is that there's a very unhealthy conflict between some municipal leaders and the Human Affairs Commission that is doing nothing to help an already volatile racial situation in South Carolina.

To backtrack a bit, the unfortunate situation arose because of the fatal shootings of at least seven blacks by white police officers this year. Orangeburg, Conway, Greenwood, Moncks Corner, Florence -- these were just a few of the cities threatened by racial violence after the shootings. The National Guard was called out by the Governor to quell or prevent disturbances in Greenwood, Florence, and finally Anderson, where a group of white youths opened fire on some blacks on Halloween, injuring four of them.

Pleas came into the Governor's office from around the state: get someone looking into these racial shootings, or open warfare is imminent between South Carolina's predominantly white law enforcement personnel and the state's black populace.

Governor Jim Edwards heeded the call, drew up a blue-ribbon biracial committee to look into the shootings, and ordered the Human Affairs Commission to do a survey on the extent of the problem. For a while it looked as if the situation would improve. Edwards' appointments to the 22-person committee were generally commendable, and included a bevy of civil rights activists of both races (balanced, of course, by some bona fide law'n'order types).

But after that, something happened. The first phase of the investigation into police-community relations was to be the Human Affairs Commission's sample survey of municipal officials, law enforcement personnel, community organizations, and individuals. The HAC's study was ordered by the Governor to do the fact-finding for the special police-community relations committee, which was supposed to make recommendations based on that data.

But the Human Affairs Commission is finding it rather difficult to extract information from a number of officials, largely due to the opposition of the S.C. Municipal Association. And meanwhile, Governor Edwards seems to have softened on his earlier promises to black leaders of a stringent investigation of relations between police and the black community.

Which leaves Jim Clyburn, the young black Human Affairs Commissioner, dubious of the outcome of the police-community relations study. Clyburn, executive head of the only black-oriented major state agency, has had his problems with the Municipal Association before. In fact, the Municipal Association and the Human Affairs Commission have been at each other's throats since the latter was established in 1972.

The Municipal Association, representing some 262 towns and cities across South Carolina, has been keeping an especially watchful eye on the Commission since Clyburn became commissioner a little over a year. In that short period, Clyburn has sought to gain new powers for Human Affairs, such as the power to resolve cases for the federal Equal Employment Opportunities Commission, and the power to monitor the use of revenue sharing funds for possible civil rights violations. Originally, the Commission had little power at all, except to conciliate on discriminatory employment practices in the private sector. As the Commission has fought in the past three years to strengthen itself and expand into other areas, such as public employment discrimination, the Municipal Association has been constantly there to oppose the commission.

The Municipal Association thus far has had a measured degree of success. It succeeded in having its own attorney placed on a special study committee to look into proposed changes to strengthen the Human Affairs Commission -- changes which were recently rejected. And the Association seems to be having some success lately in scuttling the Human Affairs Commission's investigation into police-community relations.

The Municipal Association several weeks ago went to the Governor's office with objections about a number of the questions that the Human Affairs Commission was asking of law enforcement officials. The Association claimed specifically that many of the questions on the 34-page survey of police officials were irrelevant. (The Commission actually sent out four different questionnaires: three relatively short ones to community organizations, individuals, and "line" police officers, and the 34-page one to the heads of state, county and municipal law enforcement agencies.)

Governor Edwards responded by writing a very terse letter to J. McDonald Wray, executive vice president of the Municipal Association. The two-paragraph letter concluded, "I have reviewed the questionnaire. I would appreciate the cooperation of the Municipal Association in gaining a response to at least the fifteen questions found on pages 22 through 26 of the Commission's questionnaire."

Edwards' press secretary, Bob liming, told Osceola recently that the Governor hadn't meant his letter to be construed as saying that the rest of the Commission questionnaire could be disregarded. "He didn't recommend in that letter that any questions **not** be answered," Liming pointed out, adding that Edwards meant for the individual law enforcement officers to decide which of the questions not on pages 22-26 they should answer.

Liming also said the Governor's position had been a necessary compromise with the Municipal Association. "I think originally they (the Municipal Association) said they weren't going to answer any of the questions.

Whatever the Governor's conciliatory intentions, his letter had the effect of telling the Municipal Association it could safely disregard most of the questions without fear of wrath from the chief executive's office. And the questions that had

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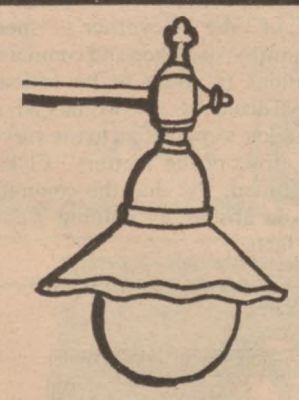

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thus become optional included some which Jim Clyburn feels are very important to the survey. Here are some of the discretionary questions:

--What are the general educational requirements for city, county, and statewise law enforcement personnel?

--What kind of formal law enforcement training is required for the various positions in the State Law Enforcement Division, the Highway Patrol, county sheriff's departments, and city police departments?

--What are the starting salaries for each of the positions, and how many persons are in each (broken down into male, female, and black and white)?

--Does the department have an "affirmative action plan" designed to insure a racial balance on the force?

--Does the department require its officers to undergo any special community-relations training?

--What are the standard arrest procedures?

--Does the department have any community-relations program?

--How much money has each department received in revenue sharing and U.S. Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA) funds in the past five years? How has that money been used?

--What procedures are followed when an officer wounds or kills a suspected criminal?

The information that Governor Edwards has asked that the police officials "at least" supply is statistical data, much of which the various police departments are already required by law to keep and to make public. It includes the number of reports and arrests made annually in each general crime category; officers killed or wounded in the line of duty; the number of officers suspended or fired because of malfeasance of duty; the number of suspects killed or injured during arrests; and how many officers were formally charged with criminal offenses committed in the line of duty.

Clyburn, angered that the Governor's letter might mean that some of his most important questions would go unanswered, fired off a letter to Edwards. The young commissioner, who is quickly gaining a reputation as one of the more vocal state officials, advised the Governor not to be swayed by the Municipal Association. "I am convinced," Clyburn wrote, "from the response we have been receiving, not only from various law enforcement departments, but also local citizens, that the Municipal Association is out of step with the public's feeling in this matter...I do believe that responses relating merely to the number of arrests and shootings will only begin to address the real issues..."

Earlier Clyburn, apparently trying to cut off his opposition at its source, had written Municipal Association president Cooper Tedder. (Tedder, incidentally, is mayor of Florence, where the most violent racial fighting took place this year.) Clyburn expressed his concern over the Association's differences with the Human Affairs Commission over several matters, including the Association's "perplexing refusal" to back a strengthened Human Affairs Law, and its opposition to the Commission's monitoring of revenue sharing spending for possible civil rights violations.

But Clyburn's immediate concern was the Association's opposition to the survey questionnaires, which he was afraid might undermine police-community relations efforts. "It would seem that the Municipal Association would welcome a fact-finding effort in an area where there are few facts and so many misconceptions," Clyburn wrote, asking for the Association's support.

The "irrelevant" questions which the Municipal Association finds most objectionable, according to one official there, are those concerning revenue sharing and LEAA funds, and how they are used. Ken Westmoreland, director of inter-governmental relations, said the Association had received a "great number" of complaints from member municipalities about the revenue sharing questions. The initial survey, he contended, had been set up to ask questions about blacks being shot by white police officers. But the questions asked were about funding and other "irrelevant" matters. "There was just no way to relate the two types of questions," he said.

Westmoreland also explained that much of the opposition to the survey from law enforcement officials and municipal officials "had to do with the sheer magnitude of it." A number of small towns had said they didn't have the time nor the records to complete the questionnaire, he said, but opposition wasn't only from small towns. Even in Columbia, the second largest city in South Carolina, the city manager had complained that the survey was too time-consuming, Westmoreland pointed out. (Columbia city manager Gray Olive had earlier told a reporter that he wasn't sure if he would fill out the survey. "They want a lot of information. I don't know if we'll have time to do it," Olive reportedly said.)

And Westmoreland also claimed there has been a lack of communication about the survey. "The specifics of the study, we were told, would be set up by the Governor," he claimed. "However, they were not."

But Clyburn, contacted by Osceola last Tuesday, fired back angry answers to all of the Municipal Association's reasons for opposing the survey, and he added a few theories of his own. He especially took issue with the Municipal Association's claims that the questions about revenue sharing funds were not relevant to a study of police-community relations. The reason the questions about revenue sharing were included in the survey, Clyburn said, was to find out how the various law enforcement agencies were spending their money.

Clyburn explained that revenue sharing funds are not specifically earmarked by the federal government for community relations programs; instead, how they will be used is up to the individual localities. So the survey isn't trying to prove misuse of federal funds. But, on the other hand, Clyburn asked, why not earmark it locally for police-community relations programs?

"I think that's an important argument nationally -- whether this revenue sharing money is going to be used for community relations programs, or whether it's being used just for more guns. Why not use some of it for preventing crime?"

Clyburn contends that the Municipal Association's complaints about the time-consuming nature of the survey "is just another euphemism" to cover up the fact that the Association just doesn't want police officials to answer the questions. He claims that the Association is exaggerating the length of the questionnaire, because any one law enforcement official has to answer, at most, only 20 pages of the 34-page questionnaire.

The Human Affairs Commissioner seems to have good reason for criticizing the Municipal Association for exaggerating the time factor. One 16-page section, for instance, is broken down into four parts, each four-page part pertaining to and answerable by only one of four agencies. And many of the questions in the booklet require yes-or-no answers, opinions, or multiple choices, which shouldn't take much time if proper records are kept.

"Time is a very relative thing," Clyburn said angrily. "I don't know if South Carolina has too much time itself," he said, alluding to the racial violence that has already wracked parts of the state. "If anyone said to me it took too much time, I'd say to him, 'Say that to the families of those seven black people who were killed.' "

And Clyburn said if the Municipal Association's opposition to the questionnaires were based on its belief that it was "Jim Clyburn's survey," the Association should think again. His staff drew up the questions with the help of the Criminal Justice Academy and other criminology experts, and the Human Affairs Board approved them. In fact, Clyburn explains, convervative board members insisted on a separate questionnaire for "line officers" (rank-and-file policemen) because they felt "we needed to know how these people felt about their leaders...and their communities."

What all the Municipal Association's objections are covering up, Clyburn theorized, is "a very racist position." He pointed out that the Association has opposed almost every other thing he's tried to do as Human Affairs Commissioner. "I am convinced," he continued, "if it were not for the Municipal Association, this (controversy over the survey) wouldn't even have come up."

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Meanwhile, Clyburn feels, the job of the Governor's special committee on police and community relations is going to be seriously jeopardized by the Municipal Association's opposition to the survey. "The fact of the matter," Clyburn exclaimed, "is that the committee can do absolutely nothing without the facts."

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by Venson Sreadman

A crazy 'Afternoon' with Pacino and Lumet

--Would you believe a bank robbery in which one of the participants chickens out and wants to go home before they're even well started, asking "Can I take the car?"

--Would you believe parlays between police and the surrounded robbers that include such negotiations as carry-outs from a local pizza parlor?

--Would you believe a siege that turns into a carnival with the chief thief performing for live TV cameras, throwing money to and being cheered on by the surrounding crowds?

--Would you believe the motive for the robbery to be a sex change operation for the "wife" of one of the robbers?

--Would you believe hostages who take a friendly interest in the success of their captors and on leaving the scene of the crime (for a plane bound for Algeria) remind them, "You forgot your money?"

Like those believe-it-or-not tall tales that people swap around bars and dorm rooms, **Dog Day Afternoon** depends for its success on our incredulity, and like a lot of those stories it turns out that in the end it really doesn't have much more to offer than astonishment. We've all seen endless movies and television shows which have worked variations on the old heist genre; there have been cool crooks, glamorous cat burglars, tough guys like George Raft and George Bancroft, funny guys like Peter Ustinov and Milton Berle. There's even been the crook as schnook in Woody Allen's parody, "Take the Money and Run."

"Dog Day Afternoon" tries to rework the latter variation, but in this case there's a twist: the story is verifiably ture. The two protagonists of the movie, Sonny (Al Pacino) and Sal (John Cazale) actually walked into a branch of the Chase Manhattan bank on an August afternoon back in 1972 and stuck the place up. And as in the movie, things started to go wildly wrong from the beginning. The vault turned out to only have eleven hundred dollars since the money had already been picked up. A chance accident, apparently a fire set in a trash can, brought on the police who demanded their surrender. And finally, when they had reached the airport for their flight to "sunny climes," the farce turned to tragedy as the FBI caught the two amateur hold-up men offguard.

Screenwriter Frank Pierson has now turned this story into a script, and director Sidney Lumet ("Serpico," "The Pawnbroker") has brought a predictable bravura to the adaptation. Lumet, who's from New York, proved in "Serpico" his ability to evoke an almost documentary style immediacy from the staged scenes of the big city milieu, and he used that milieu to give the movie a pace and rhythm, a kind of no nonsense efficiency that suited the muckraking message of that film.

In "Dog Day" Lumet once again shows an uncanny accuracy in his eye for realistic characterization. The many bit characters such as Penny Allen as the head teller, Estelle Omens as Sonny's mother, and Charles Durning as the police negotiator are entirely believable as real people and not just characters in a movie, and this absence of artifice -- the sense that it could just as well be happening to us -- makes the events all the more fantastic. Others of the characterizations -- such as the "wife," Chris Sarandon's monologue on what life with Sonny is like -- are brilliant vignettes that go a little further than simple realism. Only occasionally, as in the bad caricature of Sonny's real wife, does Lumet's flair for making the action immediate to us stray.

And Pacino's performance certainly is one of his best. While Pacino's Sonny does have the flaw of some of his other roles of being almost too obsessively on one note: he seems to run out of steam toward the end of the movie -- in the scene with his mother and the weepy conclusion that was a trifle phony --and I still think Serpico his best part since he managed to find the kind of extroverted enjoyment in the role that a more advanced actor, such as Jack Nicholson, usually brings to his characters. Still, probably no other current actor could do so well with Sonny's admixture of cow-eyed hysteria and hilarious gushes of street dialect (in that strangled Dustin Hoffman voice left over from "Serpico"), and he elevates Sonny almost into a myth of the urban anti-hero, whose strutting affront to the cops and TV justifies the sympathy of the crowds who cheer him on.

But if "Dog Day Afternoon" is a diverting entertainment, is there anything more to it than just an oddity, a bizarre tale? Probably not, and while it may seen churlish to complain about this kind of film lacking depth, I think the movie's failure to tell us more about the characters makes it ultimately unsatisfactory. Indeed, we take so little away from it, that thinking back you may wonder just how they filled those two hours and ten minutes. In the old days a director such as, say, William Wyler would have approached the material by building up to the robbery and showing background -- problems at home, dissatisfaction at work -- that would motivate the action, would create some dramatic tension between the characters.

Lumet, on the other hand, doesn't so much develop his characters as drop hints about them. All we learn about Sal, for example, is that he believes his body to be a "temple of the Lord," thinks Wyoming is a foreign country they can escape to, and is ready to shoot everybody, including himself. Lumet seems to have been afraid of spoiling his brilliantly contrived surface with anything more than oblique references to what's beneath that surface (after all, more art might mean less verisimilitude) and so the film really gives us no more understanding than a facty newspaper report of the robbery (it was indeed adapted from a magazine article), or one of those Eyewitness News accounts (maybe a notch above TV 10 minicam). If Wyler's square appraoch no longer works, Lumet's cool leaves you hungry for something more.

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I suppose there are some South Carolinians who are not aware of Daufuskie Island -- people who have been catatonic or comatose for the last four years. Most of us, however, are familiar with this island and familiar with the people who live in this place.

Pat Conroy, and his popular book, "The Water is Wide," brought Daufuskie into first focus. His book was followed by a movie, and the film was followed by Strom Thurmond, John West, ETV, Clemson University, and anyone else who could read a navigational chart and/or pilot a boat.

Doctoral candidates came ashore with the same dedication and determination that the 1st Marine Division displayed at Iwo Jima. Consultants flew into Savannah, then motored over on the "Strom Thurmond." The people were interviewed and filmed and surveyed and measured and otherwise poked at by those of us who wanted to know if this really was Nirvana. And the people of Daufuskie, really believing that these well-educated, soft spoken transients would leave something behind (something tangible), waited for deliverance.

On Saturday, December 6th, another group of well meaning folks motored across the water. They came from Savannah and Beaufort and Hilton Head. The trip from any of these places can easily take an hour and often (in bad weather) it will consume three hours.

Daufuskie was wet on December 6th. It had started to rain at seven, and while this wasn't a driving rain, it was sufficiently wet to make four hundred people miserable. What brought Jim Edwards out of Columbia (and into the rain) was a small store. It seems that this store (what some would call a convenience store) was to be the "pay-off." After several years of study, several miles of video tape, and several hundred promises, this little building was proof that South Carolina really cared. And everyone wanted to identify with the project.

The store was built with a $19,000 grant from the Catholic Church. The Economic Opportunity Commission (Beaufort chapter) came up with $2,000 to stock the store. The Technical Education Center in Beaufort constructed the building. Beaufort Jasper Comprehensive Health Services "designed" the building. The Governor's Manpower Office provided money for the operating staff. Beaufort County provided the land. Finally, the folks on Daufuskie (each adult resident) coughed up $60.00 for the store.

The state (in the person of the governor), the county, the welfare ("human service") organizations were present and ready to comment on their remarkable effort. Some 300 people (all with some vague identification with the store or with the island) arrived with Captain Sam Stevens aboard "The Waving Girl." The media (television from Charleston, Beaufort and Savannah) were ready to record the event. There were hands to shake and backs to slap and babies to kiss. Everyone was hopeful and happy and ready to bask in the mellow afterglow of a job well done. But we couldn't quite pull it off...it wasn't really in the cards that Saturday.

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The immediate problem was rain. It transformed this pretty island into a dreary, uncomfortable place. It made the slapping of backs a wet, almost painful exercise. I recall Senator Waddell, standing in his runabout, wondering if he should even go ashore. The area in front of the store was awash with mud; some found a measure of refuge in an army mess tent; others crowded into the store itself. Nobody was much concerned about the ceremony. But something was wrong -- where were the people of Daufuskie? Where, indeed, was the gratitude for the bringing of Cool Whip and Frankenberries to this place?

The people of Daufuskie were, of course, at the opening. If they seemed absent it was only because there are not many of them -- 112 people to be precise. Frances Jones, the former teacher and now the unofficial historian, was there and she spoke briefly with the press. A few of the islanders prepared crabs and otherwise transacted a little business amidst the speeches. But there was no organized or official acceptance of the store by the island or on behalf of the island. We can only assume that they are grateful for our largess. Or can we?

Herman Blake, writing in a recent issue of **Black Scholar**, says: "In recent visits (1973 and 1974) to 'Yamacraw,' the object of Conroy's book, many of the residents spoke freely to us of their hostility to Conroy for his distorted characterization of their lives. One elderly resident leafed through a copy of the book, looked carefully at the pictures, and then commented, 'Poor Conroy, sitting there watching them die, and nobody to testify.'"

Can this be true? Do these people really resent the fact that Conroy gave them this exposure? Blake continues, "We have lived in the homes of the people of this island and worked with them since 1967. We find Conroy's characterization of the men of the island (pp. 86-95) to be shallow and distorted as well as inaccurate. The book is such a vulgarization of the lives of the people of 'Yamacraw' that they asked the author to leave the island in the summer of 1972 when he came to present them with copies of his book."

It is hard to reconcile Conroy's professed love of Daufuskie (his lawsuit to teach there remains) with the hatred that Blake implies.

But what of Blake, who has described and published what he calls their "survival mechanisms"? Blake writes, "In seeking sustenance from the nearby waters the people have developed the ability to attract wild porpoises and use them for fishing. Anglers will row their boats into the waters and then rap on the sides or the bottom with a special rhythm which attracts porpoises to the boat, scaring the fish ahead of them. The porpoises will then circle the boat, feeding on the fish and keeping them in a tight bunch for the angler. When casting with a net the men will attract the porpoises to scare the fish into the shallow waters." Is this description not the same sort of exploitation, on a smaller scale?

In fact, using Daufuskie has become the rather tedious norm. The Beaufort-Jasper Economic Opportunity Commission, Beaufort-Jasper Comprehensive Health and a host of lesser agencies need Daufuskie Island. When Penn Center submitted a recent proposal to the Whitney Foundation, it noted that Penn provided "continuing legal services" to Daufuskie. When such groups submit grant proposals to the Federal Government or to private foundations, the fact that they are extending their services to "isolated...remote" Daufuskie Island makes very attractive reading. If the people of Daufuskie believe they are being used, they are right.

There seems to be a growing realization that we cannot spend our way out of poverty, or out of a lousy educational system. It is equally wrong to surmise that we can "spend" Daufuskie into the twentieth century. Or that there is an answer to this problem, if only someone will ask the right question. I am not sure that it will do any good to ask "the really tough questions."

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After the ceremony Charles Fraser and his "Compass Rose" turned away from Daufuskie and back toward Hilton Head. The rain continued to fall and most of us went below into a small, but warm cabin. Fraser's wife, Mary, served us coffee and cheese and we settled in for a pleasant crossing. It is this same "crossing" that isolates Daufuskie.

The problem at Daufuskie is distance. It is a very long way from the mainland, by any route. The absence of a bridge and "vehicular access" has kept Daufuskie from any real growth. It has kept the condominiums, cabanas and beach clubs away. Although the distance has made certain things (gasoline, T.V. dinners, and dog food) more costly, it has made other items less expensive (real estate and real estate taxes). The people do not have ready access to an opera company, but they are within easy range of Savannah television. There is no question that education and health care are more difficult, but it is also true that some things are less complex. One doesn't worry about exact change or pay toilets.

Something compels our society to change, modify, "improve" places like Daufuskie. Something compels us to replace the little frame homes with aluminum pre-fabs. To replace the horse- or cow-drawn carts with Chevettes. I suppose we must fill this island with the flotsam and the jetsam that we believe is essential to survival. I wonder if the folks of Daufuskie know that with just a bit of luck, we can turn their island into another Myrtle Beach.

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newspapers for all to see. Dr. William N. Adams Smith, the medical school's first dean, has resigned after charging the Trustees with politicizing the new department. Said the outgoing Adams Smith, "The reason I resigned was that I considered that pressure was being brought to bear to appoint a dean for political reasons." He also charged that the school would not be able to open in September as scheduled, and that he feared some students might be admitted because of their political connections.

Will academic normalcy ever return to Carolina? Chances are that this is normalcy, the school had only momentarily departed from it.

A bad week for Ralph Gasque

Mark one up for the home rule forces in Marion County. Saturday, December 13, a public referendum confirmed what we thought would happen there (see Osceola, December 19), as Form Three was approved by a whopping margin of 2,903 to 506 votes for Form 5. And to make the day even more meaningful for the forces of progressivism in that little Pee Dee county, the voters also mandated in the referendum that their county council would be elected from single-member districts, by a vote of 2,417 to 694.

Thus the Monarch of Marion, scrappy old Senator Ralph Gasque, was dealt a double defeat. Gasque had **been** the county government under the old setup, which was essentially Form 5. Now he will no longer be able to appoint the county commissioners and all county officials, nor will he have his former power over the county supply bill. And Gasque had also been a supporter of at-large elections of county councilpersons/commissioners.

So Marion County jumped from the eighteenth century up to the twentieth century in one short day at the polls, while Gasque's power in the county was eroded considerably. To add salt to the old warrior's wounds, The State newspaper reported two days before the voting that Gasque, chairman of the Senate Education Committee, had been using a committee secretary in his personal law office in Marion. The secretary, a 30-year-old divorcee named Sheila Jean Huggins, has been employed since 1973 as an "administrative assistant" by Gasque's committee, at a cost to the state's taxpayers of over $14,000 a year.

All in all, it wasn't one of Ralph Gasque's better weeks.

Legal notices

Deadline for Legal Notices is Tuesday at 5:00 p.m.

SUMMONS
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
C.W. Haynes and Company Incorporated,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Julio R. Rivas & Star Rivas,
Defendants.
TO THE DEFENDANTS ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in this action, a copy of which is herwith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Complaint on the subscribers at their office, 1400 Pickens Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Callison Tighe Nauful & Rush
By: Steven M. Anastasion
Attorneys for the Plaintiff

NOTICE
Columbia, South Carolina
December 16, 1975
State of South Carolina
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
C.W. Haynes & Company, Incorporated,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Julio R. Rivas & Star Rivas,
Defendants.
TO THE DEFENDANTS ABOVE NAMED:

Take Notice that the Summons in the above mentioned action of which the foregoing is a copy together with the Complaint therein was filed in the office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County on the 16th day of December, 1975.

Callison Tighe Nauful & Rush
By: Steven M. Anastasion
Attorneys for Plaintiff
Columbia, South Carolina
December 16, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Rubye W. Nicholson, Executrix of the estate of George L. Nicholson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M, at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
December 4, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Mary Louise Camp Frady, Executrix of the estate of Clarence T. Frady, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
December 2, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Mary E. Davis, guardian of the estate of Brenda Marie Phillips, minor, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such guardian; and that the 5th day of January, 1976, at 10 o'clock a.m., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
December 2, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Mary E. Davis, guardian of the estate of Samuel Ashley Phillips, minor, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such guardian; and that the 5th day of January, 1976, at 10 o'clock a.m. at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.c.
December 2, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that E. Bernard Wingard, Executor of the estate of E.B. Wingard, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clcok A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 10, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Thomas E. McCutchen, Executor of the estate of Julia Sherard Roof, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 12, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Louis S. Purchase, Executor of the estate of Cameron Ohl, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 12, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Thomas E. McCutchen, Executor of the estate of Theodore Anthony McMannon, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 12, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Mattie R. Brady, Executrix of the estate of James B. Brady, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 12, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Hester C. Ragin, Executrix of the estate of Thomas Edward Ragin, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 12, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Lila Hickman Crouch, Administratrix of the estate of Bruce Victor Crouch, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 12, 1975

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
RICHLAND COUNTY
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Carrie Myers Long has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Henry Long deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 30th day of December 1975 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of December, A.D. 1975,

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
RICHLAND COUNTY
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Linda Wicker Holmes, has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Clyde Herman Holmes deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 30th day of December 1975 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of December, A.D. 1975,

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
RICHLAND COUNTY
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS David A. Cannon has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Ida Mae Thomas Cannon deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 29th day of December 1975 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of December, A.D. 1975,

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
RICHLAND COUNTY
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Betty Allison has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Robert Allison deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 29th day of December 1975 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of December, A.D. 1975,

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
RICHLAND COUNTY
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Dorothy J. Hayes has applied to me for Letters of Administration of the estate of Howard Hayes, Jr., deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 29th day of December 1975 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of December, A.D. 1975,

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of I.C. Harrison deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Melvin L. Burton, Sr.,
Executor
c/o H. Fletcher Padget, Jr.
P.O. Box 1473
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
December 12, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Margaret Jamison Drake deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Louis N. Drake, III
Executor
341 Molasses Lane
Mount Pleasant, S..C
Columbia, S.C.
December 12, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of John M. Anderson deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Harvey H. Anderson,
Executor
1531 Heatherwood Rd.,
Columbia, S.C. 29205
Columbia, S.C.
December 12, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Bessie C. Ackerman deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

First National Bank of S.C.
Executor, P.O. Box 111,
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
December 12, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Edward E. Dickerson deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Wayne E. Dickerson,
Executor
1832 Wadsworth Drive
Cayce, S.C. 29033
Columbia, S.C.
December 12, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Hilda Nesbitt Akers, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Olivette Novella Akers,
Executrix
c/o William T. Toal, Atty
P.O. Box 11185
Columbia, S.C. 29211
Columbia, S.C.
December 10, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Thomas E. Pickell deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Mary S. Pickell, Executrix
3020 Gadsden Street
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
December 11, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Julia Mae White deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Robert Lee White,
Administrator
c/o J. Carlisle Oxner, Atty
P.O. Box 4,
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
December 12, 1975

PROBATE JUDGE'S SALE

By virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Richland County heretofore granted in the case of Marie Williams, as Administratrix of the Estate of Minnie Myers McMillan, deceased, vs. Marie Williams, individually, et al., I, the undersigned Judge of Probate for Richland County, will sell on Monday, January 5, 1976, at 11:00 a.m., before the Richland County Courthouse door at Columbia, South Carolina, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate:

ALL that piece, parcel or lot of land, with the improvements thereon, situate, lying and being on the Western side of the extension of Oak Street, in the County of Richland and State of South Carolina and being known and designated as Lot No. 2 in Block "D" on a plat of suggested subdivision, property of Furman E. Cannon, made by Tomlinson Engineering Company on July 31st, 1944, which plat is recorded in the office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County in Plat Book "J" at page 157, and having the the following measurements and boundaries, to-wit: On the North by Lot No. 3 in said Block "D" and measuring thereon One Hundred Fifty (150') feet; on the east by Oak Street whereon said lot fronts and measures for a distance of forty-eight (48') feet; on the South by Lot No. 1 in said Block "D" and measuring thereon for a distance of One Hundred Fifty (150') feet; and on the West by property heretofore conveyed to the City of Columbia for park purposes; reference is had to said plat for a more particular and accurate description.

This being the property conveyed to Minnie Myers by the Edisto Company by deed dated January 8, 1946, and recorded in Book GH of Deeds, page 590.

TERMS OF SALE: FOR CASH; the Probate Judge will require a deposit of 5% of the amount of the bid in cash or its equivalent, same to be applied to the purchase price only upon compliance with the bid, but in case of non-compliance within thirty (30) days, same to be forfeited and applied to the costs and

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plaintiff's debt and the property re-advertised for sale upon the same terms. The bidding will not remain open after the date of sale.

A. RAY HINNANT
Judge of Probate
For Richland County
Isadore S. Bernstein
Attorney for Petitioner
Columbia, South Carolina
December 10, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Terry Lee Murphy deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Polly A. Murphy,
Administratrix
334 Floyd Drive
Columbia, S.C.

Columbia, S.C.
December 11, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Eugene O. Bradshaw deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Sara D. Bradshaw
Executrix
c/o Ray L. Derrick
1600 Taylor St.
P.O. Box 716
Columbia, S.C.

Columbia, S.C.
December 11, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Earl E. Belcher deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Elsie L. Belcher,
Executrix
Route 1
Irmo, S.C. 29063

Columbia, S.C.
December 12, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Arline Huckabee Sinclair, Executor of the estate of Robert H. Sinclair, Jr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 15th day of January 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

December 15, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Joseph C. Steen, Jr., Exexutor of the estate of Frezil H. Steen, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 15th day of January 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

December 15, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Raymond Epps, Administrator of the estate of Charles E. Landes, Jr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

December 10, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Sarah B. Smith, Executrix of the estate of Harry N. Smith, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 12th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

December 10, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ethel M. Session, Guardian of the estate of Feacha Session, Jr., Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

December 2, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jo Anne Cox Ledbetter, Guardian of the estate of Elizabeth Ruth Cox Ledbetter, Minor has this day made applecation unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

December 2, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Raleigh F.Wright, Sr., deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ida J. Wright
Administratrix
c/o Paul V. Ryan, Atty.,
1421 Bull Street
Columbia, S.C.

Columbia, S.C.
December 9, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Jimmie Lee Roland, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ruby Lee Donahue Roland
Executrix
10 Kingsgate Road
Columbia, S.C.

Columbia, S.C.
December 9, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Lathene S. McLemore, Executrix of the estate of J. W. McLemore, Deceased has this day made applecation unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

December 3, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Gussie D. Grigsby, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Thomas E. Grigsby
Executor
c/o John B. Allen, Jr., Atty.,
P. O. Box 9507
Columbia, S.C. 29290

Columbia, S.C.
December 8, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Lindsay A. Cooper, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Laura G. Cooper
Executrix
5413 Middleton Avenue
Columbia, S.C. 29203

Columbia, S.C.
December 5, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Gorrest Calvin Shealy, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

R. Earl Sites and Frank E. O'-Sheal, Executors
c/o Mortimer F. Smith, Atty.
P.O. Box 621
Cyce, S.C. 29033

Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is herby given that Dorothy B. Mattox, Administra trix of the estate of James W. Mattox, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 8th day of January 1976, at 10 0'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

December 8, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ercilla Figueroa, Guardian of the estate of Maria Figueroa, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 8th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

December 8, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Vernelle Collins Jones, Executrix of the estate of Anthony Lee Jones, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 9th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition. A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

December 9, 1975

NOTICE AND SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT

TO:

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Annie Ruth Davis, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Mary Susan Brunson Guy
Administratrix
3004 Beard Street
Camden, S.C.

Columbia, S.C.
December 5, 1975

NOTICE

State of South Carolina
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
IN THE FAMILY COURT

Mary Sinkler Scott,
Petitioner,
-vs-
Cedric Mandell Alford, a minor under the age of Fourteen (14) years, and unknown father of above child,
Respondents.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED RESPONDENT UNKNOWN FATHER OF ABOVE CHILD:

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the original Complaint in the above entitled action was filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Family Court for Richland County, South Carolina, on the 6th day of November, 1975.

Robert M. McIntosh
Attorney for Petitioner

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Lillian N. Adderley, Executrix of the estate of Annie Myers, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

December 3, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that C. Anderson Riley, Administrator of the estate of Louise Anderson Riley, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.

December 5, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Sarah Wray R. Page, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

The Citizens and Southern National Bank of South Carolina,
Executor
P. O Box 22213
Columbia, S.C. 29222

Columbia, S.C.
December 9, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of John Max Hasty, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Elizabeth B. Hasty
Administratrix
c/o John R. Lester, Atty.,
1413 Calhoun Street
Columbia, S.C.

Columbia, S.C.
December 5, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Patricia R. Fenstemacher, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Craig Kelly
Administrator
P. O. Box 21232
1225 Peckens Street
Columbia, S.C.

December 5, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Davis Hooks, Jr., deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, ane those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Edith J. Hooks
Administratrix
c1o Kneece, Kneece and Freeman, Attorneys
1338 pickens Street
Columbia, South Carolina

Columbia, S.C.
December 5, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of James G. Mathews, deceased, are hereby notified to file the name, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Essie Lee Livingston
Executrix
224 S. Woodrow Street
Columbia, S.C. 29205

Columbia, S.C.
December 5, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Harold Arthur Collins, Jr., deceased, are hereby notified to file the name, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

E.N. Brandon
Administrator
703 Security Federal Building
Columbia, S.C. 29201

Columbia, S.C.
Devember 4, 2975
December 4, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Raymond F. Rieser, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Otis G. Alexander
Administrator CTA
c/o A. Birge Wise, Atty.,
Barringer Building
Columbia, S.C. 29201

Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Ruth Sadler McMillian, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Bankers Trust of S.C.
Executor
P. O. Box 448
Columbia, South Carolina

Columbia, S.C.
December 4, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Joe M. Coleman, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Bankers Trust of S.C.
Executor
P. O. Box 448
Columbia, S.C. 29202

Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Bennie Portee, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Jerome Portee and Clarence A. Adams, Jr.,
Executors
c/o David B. Betts
Attorney
P. O. Box 1444
Columbia, S.C. 29202

Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Allen J. Hodge, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Kathleen V. Hodge
Administratrix
c/o Peter D. Korn, Atty.
1406 Bull Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201

Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Edward P. Borkowski, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Wilhelmine M. A. Borkowski
Administratrix
c/o Kneece, Kneece and Freeman, Attorneys
1338 Pickens Street
Columbia, S.C.

Columbia , S.C.
December 2, 1975
December 2, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mildred Henry Davenport, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Barbara Jean Funderburk
Executrix
1202 Denny Road
Columbia, S.C.

Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Moses Baker, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

S. Sally Crafts
Executrix
105 Washington Avenue
Winthrop, Mass. 02152

Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Charlotte S. Rieser, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Otis G. Alexander
Administrator CTA
c/o A. Birge Wise, Atty.,
Barringer Building
Columbia, S.C. 29201

Columbia, S.C.
December 3, 1975

SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
IN THE COUNTY COURT

Judy Loner Lewis,
Plaintiff,
-vs-
Marvin Wayne Lewis,
Defendant.

TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in this action, a copy of which is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your Answer on the Subscribers at their offices at 1210 Pickens Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Victoria L. Eslinger
Attorney for Plaintiff
Columbia, S.C.
November 3, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Grace Hinson, Guardian of the estate of Danny Vinson, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 22nd day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

November 21, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Martin Stork, Executor of the estate of Ada Y. Jackson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 22nd day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

November 21, 1975

NOTICE

State of South Carolina
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT

Thomas M. Hair, Jr.,
Petitioner,
vs.
Pamela D. Hair,
Respondent.

TO THE RESPONDENT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the original Summons and Petition in the above entitled action were filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County on October 20, 1975, the object and prayer of which is to obtain the relief as setforth in the Petition.

Ratchford and Eleazer
W. Rhett Eleazer
Attorney for the Petitioner
Columbia, S.C.
This 15th day of October, 1975.

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FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Richard Anthony Orf, Guardian of the estate of Eddie Allen Knight, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 5th day of January 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Olive D. Trapp, Executrix of the estate of Arnold S. Trapp, Sr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Betty Jean Friday, Executrix of the estate of Andrew Cauthen Friday, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that John Stanley Oliver, Executor of the estate of Mary Havird Oliver, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jack M. Scoville, Sr., and Ellen V. Scoville, Executors of the estate of Lucy Plummer Verner, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executors; and that the 5th day of January 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
December 1, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jennie S. Sharpe, Guardian of the estate of Deborah Kay Stockman, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 29th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 25, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Dorothy H. Slagsvol, Executrix of the estate of Marvin I. Slagsvol, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 24th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Louis H. Helms and Paul M. Busby, Executors of the estate of Joel Elmore Peavy, Sr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executors; and that the 24th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Dorothy P. White, Executrix of the estate of Hobson Lawton White, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 24th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Julia R. Green, Executrix of the estate of Robert B. Rearden, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 29th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 25, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that S.C. National Bank, Executor of the estate of Henry Christian Schultze, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 29th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 25, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Irene Chitty Lynn, Executrix of the estate of Charles Ferguson Lynn, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 29th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 25, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Margaret Hamilton Reamer, Executrix of the estate of William Schell Reamer, Jr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 29th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 25, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that James B. Mitchell, Executor of the estate of Hilliard Jackson Mitchell, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 24th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Antoinette C. Mayeran, Guardian of the estate of Michael J. Mayeran, Minor has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Guardian; and that the 29th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 26, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Watus Cameo Kirby, Jr., Executor of the estate of Watus Cameo Kirby, Sr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 19th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 19, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ilse M. Odom, Executrix of the estate of John M. Odom, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 22nd day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 20, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ashley C. Phillips, Executrix of the estate of Edna P. McLauchlin, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 19th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 19, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that A.K. Chapman, Executor of the estate of Ethyle L. Powell, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 22nd day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 21, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Pearl White Brooks Executrix of the estate of A.A. Brooks, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 22nd day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 21, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Mary Jane Melton, Executrix of the estate of Benjamin Henry Melton, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 29th day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 24, 1975

NOTICE

State of South Carolina
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
IN THE COUNTY COURT

Judy Loner Lewis,
Plaintiff,
-vs-
Marvin Wayne Lewis,
Defendant.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the original Complaint in the above entitled action was filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Court for Richland County, South Carolina, on the 7th day of November, 1975.

By: Victoria Eslinger
Attorney for the Plaintiff

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT
OF PROBATE

BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Bernie White has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Joseph Clarence White deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 22nd day of December 1975 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 5th day of December, A.D. 1975.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S. C.
December 26, 1975

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT
OF PROBATE

BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Jerry Darrel Lowder, Sr., has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Jerry Darrel Lowder, Jr., Deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 17th day of December, 1975 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 2nd day of December, A.D. 1975,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S. C.

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT
OF PROBATE

BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Joan Nagy Raymond has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Elizabeth Amelia Borsos Nagy deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 22nd day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 5th day of December, A. D., 1975.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S. C.
December 26, 1975

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT
OF PROBATE

BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Carl J. Frederick has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Ethel Lee Hart deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S. C., on the 19th day of December 1975 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 4th day of December, A. D. 1975.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S. C.
December 26, 1975

NOTICE AND SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
IN THE FAMILY COURT

TO:
Shirley Ann Burney, Johnny Thompson, and the father of Kimberly Veronica Burney, a minor under the age of fourteen (14) years, whereabouts unknown,
Respondents.

A Petition has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Richland County Court, Columbia, South Carolina, by the Richland County Department of Social Services, alleging the above minor child, born on January 11, 1970, to be an abandoned child as defined by Section 31-61 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1962, as amended.

YOU are hereby summoned and required to answer the above mentioned Petition and to serve a copy of your answer on the Subscriber at his office at 2016½ Green Street, Columbia, South Carolina, 29205.

Said Petition contains a prayer for an Order, which if granted will divest the above-named Respondents of all parental rights and privileges.

Carlton B. Bagby
Attorney for Petitioner
Columbia, S.C.
September 3, 1975

SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
COUNTY OF RICHLAND
IN THE FAMILY COURT

Mary Sinkler Scott
Petitioners,
-vs-
Cedric Mandell Alford a minor under the age of Fourteen (14) years, and unknown father of above child,
Respondents.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED RESPONDENTS:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Petition hereto attached and to serve a copy of your Answer on the Subscriber at 1519 Gervais Street, Columbia, South Carolina within twenty (20) days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to answer the Petition within the time aforesaid, Petitioner will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Petition.

Robert M. McIntosh
Attorney for Petitioner
Columbia, S.C.
October 29, 1975

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Julian Harold Minson, Executor of the estate of Ada E. Minson, deceased, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 22nd day of December 1975, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. Ray Hinnant
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
November 21, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of John M. Davis deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Frances V. Davis,
Executrix
P.O. Box 94
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
December 2, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of John Thomas Graves deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Vivian Lee Graves,
Executrix
c/o Joel E. Gottlieb, Atty
P.O. Box 154
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
November 25, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Bessie Inez Boozer deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

S. Wyman Boozer and
Stanford W. Boozer,
Executors
c/o A. Birge Wise, Atty
Barringer Building
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
December 1, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Theron L. Brooks deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Annie Mae P. Brooks,
Executrix
c/o William H. Gibbes, Atty
1518 Washington Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
December 1, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mary F. Monroe deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Randy Lee Monroe and
Patricia W. Monroe,
Executors
c/o William A. Pollard, Atty
1231 Washington Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
December 1, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Edward R. Sadofsky deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Caroline Love Green,
Administratrix CTA
c/o S. Tucker McCravy
1421 Bull Street
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
November 25, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Willie Jeter deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Priscilla Jeter,
Administratris
c/o Jasper L. Cureton, Atty
1926 Hampton Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
November 26, 1975

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Leopold Musacchio DeCoronci deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Leopold W. Musacchio
DeCoronci, Executor
c/o Georgaklis and Korn
1406 Bull Street
Columbia, S.C.
Columbia, S.C.
November 26, 1975

events

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and "Carolina" playing Wednesday through Saturday next week. Cover is usually a dollar; no membership necessary.

THE SCOREBOARD LOUNGE, 199 Knox Abbott Drive, 796-9848

The club continues its new disco format with shows starting at 9 p.m. nightly; no cover charge. It will also be open for all of the bowl games; a special student rate of $1 per pitcher of beer will be in effect.

ART

N.C. artist Hope Davis' show of oils and acrylics at the Columbia Museum of Art will be staying into January. Mrs. Davis' paintings include both scenes of her native state and bits of local color drawn from her many travels throughout the United States and Europe. Also staying this week at the museum will be an exhibit of abstract "Kaleidescopic Paintings" by Michael Mewborne. These will continue through the 28th. The Museum is open from 10 to 5 Tuesday through Saturday, 2 to 6 on Sunday, and closed on Monday.

Hope Davis

Gallery IV in Irmo will be having a show of handcrafted jewelry this month. The designs in a variety of metals and semi-precious stones are all by Columbia artists. Paintings, drawings, sculpture, and a variety of crafts will also be on display at the gallery, which is open from 10 to 5 Monday through Saturday.

SPECIALS

The Radio Bicentennial Parade of American Music is now accepting tapes of works by South Carolina composers for consideration in a year long series of radio programs to be broadcast throughout the state. Anyone interested should send their entries to Mrs. Robert E. L. Freeman, 3910 Kenilworth Rd., Columbia, 29205 or phone 787-0456 by January 1st.

TELEVISION

Saturday, December 20

12:30 p.m. - Football. The Minnesota Vikings play the Buffalo Bills from Orchard Park, N.Y. (Channel 19)

2 - Football. The Tangerine Bowl with USC versus Miami of Ohio will be covered lived from Orlando. (Channel 10)

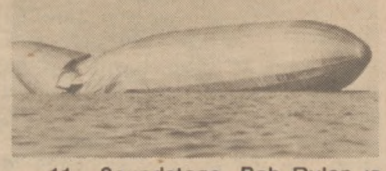
7 - Firing Line. Otis Pike discusses his House Committee's discoveries about the CIA with William F. Buckley. (Channel 35)

7:30 - Victory at Sea. The preparations and landing at D-Day in tonight's program. (Channel 19)

8:30 - Classic Theatre. "Mrs. Warren's Profession." In 1902 Shaw took on the hypocritical Victorian attitudes toward prostitution and caused quite a tizzy among London theatregoers with this story of a mother who discovers her business to her innocent daughter. Coral Browne, Penelope Wilton, and Robert Powell star in this BBC TV adaptation. (Channel 35)

9 - Football. The Pittsburgh Steelers against the L.A. Rams. Howard Cosell and his buddies will do the announcing. (Channel 25)

9 - Movie. "Zeppelin." Relentlessly dumb English concoction about a WW I German airship that is going to destroy the Magna Carta and thereby cause irreparable harm to English morale. Michael York and Elke Sommer have the lighter-than-air romantic leads (although the treatment is ridiculously serious). The special effects are pretty good. (Channel 10)



11 - Soundstage. Bob Dylan is the guest performer in this 90 minute concert. (Channel 35)

11 - Movie. "Sherlock Holmes in Washington." Murder and wartime espionage put Holmes on the track of a sinister antique dealer in one of the best of the series. Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce, Henry Daniell (of course). Basil's final Roosevelt and Churchill, hands-across-the-sea monologue is priceless. 1943. (Channel 19)

Sunday, December 21

1 p.m. - Football. On Channel 10 the San Diego Chargers will play the Bengals from Cincinnati while on Channel 19 the game will be the Philadelphia Eagles versus the Washington Redskins.

4 - Football. The Kansas City Chiefs and the Raiders from Oakland. (Channel 10)

4:30 - Movie. "Suspicion." It's Hitchcock, but pretty much a downer with Joan Fontaine at her worshipful worst as the shy young wife who suspects her ardent hubby (Cary Grant) of trying to knock her off (a logical supposition). There are some awkward effects that don't quite work and Grant doesn't seem to have known what to do with the clunkily clumsy script, but he beautifully taps his ability to suggest a secret menace in the famous staircase scene with the possibly fatal glass of milk (it's lit from inside). Leo G. Carroll, Dame May Witty, Cedric Hardwicke, 1941 (an obvious variation by Hitchcock on his "Rebecca," made a year earlier). Fontaine won an Oscar. (Channel 19)

8 - Christmas at Pops. The Boston Pops and Arthur Fiedler play traditional carols. (Channel 35)

9 - Movie. "The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly." Lots of macho on the range in this Sergio Leone spaghetti Western that has Clint Eastwood, Eli Wallach, and Lee Van Cleef trying to do each other in in the search for some stolen money. 1966. (Channel 25)

Monday, December 22

8 p.m. - Movie. "Scrooge." Musical version of "A Christmas Carol" with Albert Finney, Alec Guinness, Edith Evans, and Kenneth More. Songs by Leslie Bricusse. (Channel 10)

8 - Ballet. "The Nutcracker" is performed by the Ballet West and the Utah Symphony. (Channel 35)

9 - Liberty Bowl. The USC Trojans play Texas A&M from Memphis. (Channel 25)

10 - Special. "Giving and Getting -- The Charity Business." NBC News documentary about the questionable techniques used to fund many of the country's non-profit organizations and the inequities in the distribution of those funds. Betty Furness reports. (Channel 10)

Tuesday, December 23

11:30 p.m. - Movie. "Secret World." Jean-Francois Maurin is a young introvert who falls hard for his uncle's mistress (Jacqueline Bisset) in this '68 French film. Take sea-sick pills if you plan to watch because even on the small screen the non-stop camera movement can send one heaving. (Channel 19)

Wednesday, December 24

9 p.m. - Great Performances. Arthur Rubinstein and the London Symphony Orchestra play the Chopin Concerto No. 2. Rubinstein will also perform the Scherzo in B flat minor, Brahms Intermezzo No. 2, and Schubert's Impromptu No. 4. (Channel 35)

11:30 - Christmas Eve programming on all channels.

Thursday, December 25

3:30 - Movie. "Heidi." The Shirley Temple version is, of course, cute as pie with Jean Hersholt playing the hermit who grows to love her. 1937. (Channel 19)

8:30 - Music of Christmas. Traditional Christmas songs are presented by the Mormon Youth Symphony and Chorus. (Channel 35)

9 - Movie. "Going My Way." This story of a young priest who gradually works his way into the hearts of his new parish and his forbidding senior was an enormous popular success back in 1944, but seems a might cloying for audiences nowdays. However, director Leo McCarey has managed to put some intelligent restraint on Bing Crosby's usual threat of unctuousness and Barry Fitzgerald is very good as the old priest. The supporting cast includes Rise Stevens no less. Oscars, best picture, song, direction, script, actor, and supporting actor. (Channel 19)

11:30 - Movie. "Great Expectations." A first rate adaptation made by director David Lean in the days when he was still a good craftsman and hadn't taken to marshalling super-epics. John Mills plays Pip, Valerie Hobson Estella and Jean Simmons young Estella, Finlay Currey Magwitch, Alec Guinness Pocket, and Martita Hunt a terrific Mrs. Haversham. Nothing in it has the brilliance of Alec Guiness' Fagin in Lean's succeeding "Oliver Twist," but it's a solid job that avoids the hokum that Hollywood frequently brought to Dickens. (Channel 19)

Friday, December 26

8 p.m. - World of Magic. Magician Doug Henning conducts this live show that includes Julie Newmar, Lori Lieberman, Orson Welles (doing his own magic act), and one of Harry Houdini's most famous tricks. Bill Cosby hosts. (Channel 10)

11:30 - Wide World Special. "The Second Monty Python Show" is another collection of the British group's routines from recent programs including a modern version of "Hamlet." The first Monty Python special was excruciatingly funny. (Channel 25)

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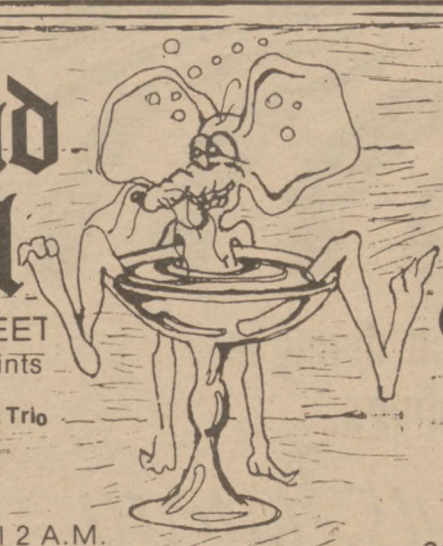

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CINEMA

ATLANTIC I THEATRE, 3220 Two Notch Road, 786-0790

"Kung Fu Gold" plays in a double feature with "Miss Melody Jones." "Fu" is scheduled for 3:30, 6:40, and 9:50; "Miss" runs at 5:09 and 8:19. Both are R rated.

ATLANTIC II THEATRE, 3220 Two Notch Road, 786-0790

This week's bill of fare seems to be waxing pensive with "Who Am I?" succeeding "Swapper's Wife" in continuous shows from 3:30 p.m. The last complete show will be at 8:30.

CINE-ART THEATRE, 1017 Washington Street, 779-3039

"Bottoms Up" and "Hookers' Convention." Shows from 1 p.m.

CAROLINA THEATRE, 1223 Main Street, 252-8011

"Let's Do It Again." Sidney Poitier (who also directs) and Bill Cosby in a sequel to "Uptown Saturday Night." It's about a plot by the pair to save their lodge through a rigged prize fight in New Orleans, and their stooge is probably the least likely prize fighter ever, Jimmie Walker (who gets much too little to do). The comedy never rises above the level of the Three Stooges, but it's pleasant enough. G. Call for the show times, which were not available as we went to press.

DUTCH SQUARE NORTH THEATRE, Dutch Square Mall, 798-1110

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" is undoubtedly the most famous animated feature ever made (besides being the first) and certainly ought to be seen by anyone who hasn't. It has all the charm of Disney's early fantasies -- except that the human figures, as in most Disney, are somewhat less imaginative -- and a lavish detail that will probably never again be economically possible in a feature cartoon. Rated G. Call for the times.

A scene from "Snow White"

DUTCH SQUARE SOUTH THEATRE, Dutch Square Mall, 798-1110

"The Godfather, Part II." What happened before and after "Godfather I" is the subject of the plot of this sequel, which is in most ways a far finer film. If it lacks the dominating presence of Marlon Brando, director Francis Ford Coppola's talent seems to have grown between the two movies and he transforms what was a highly commercial melodrama into an epic of American crime, and American life, during the Twentieth Century. Oscars for Best Picture of 1974 and to Robert De Niro's brilliant portrait of the young Don; the cast also includes Robert Duvall, John Cazale, Talia Shire, and Lee Strausberg. The most obvious reason for its current rerelease is to promote Al Pacino's performance in "Dog Day Afternoon," which is nearly here. Rated R. Call for the show times.

FOX THEATRE, 1607 Main Street, 254-5212

"Pretty Maids All in a Row." Multiple murder mystery with Rock Hudson and Telly Savalas. A re-release. R. Call.

GAMECOCK I THEATRE, Parkland Plaza Shopping Center, 796-0022

"Adventures of the Wilderness Family." Mon, kids, and a dog face danger on the frontier. Looks wholesome and extremely low budget. G. Call for feature times.

GAMECOCK II THEATRE, Parkland Plaza Shopping Center, 796-0022

"Monty Python and the Holy Grail" is such a big hit out in Cayce that maybe South Carolina ETV will consider putting on the BBC source series, "Monty Python's Flying Circus," which is much better. This second movie of the British team suffers from too much calculated anarchy. Rated R. Call for the feature times.

JEFFERSON SQUARE THEATRE, Jefferson Square Downtown, 254-6731

"Three Days of the Condor." The latest and highly popular fashion in spy movies has Robert Redford (a cog in the C.I.A. bureaucracy) and Faye Dunaway (innocent bystander) on the run from Them -- you fill in the blanks, the C.I.A. itself, the White House, our "idealogical enemies," or even the press. More specifically he's being pursued by Max von Sydow, a hit man who can really give you the creeps, and the somewhat more pedestrian Cliff Robertson. We'd like to get our hands on Sydney Pollack, a talented commercial director who seems incapable of making an entertaining movie without slickly glossing over complex problems, current or historical. It's like Kafka had been adapted by a filmmaker interested in some classy sex and violence. R. Call for the show times.

MIRACLE THEATRE, 1228 Main Street, 256-1950

"Gone With the Wind" is back again to fill the time until "Lucky Lady" opens on Christmas day. "GWTW" runs at 3:30 and 8:30; times for "Lucky Lady," which is a new Stanley Donen film about rum runners in the thirties and stars Liza Minelli, Gene Hackman, and Burt Reynolds, have yet to be set. On Saturday and Sunday, December 20th and 21st, there will be a kiddie matinee at 1 p.m., "Snoopy Come Home."

PLAZA III THEATRE, 1223 Main Street, 754-7960

"What Do You Say to a Naked Lady?" What do you say to a filmmaker who asks such questions? Probably the only reason to pay money for Allen Funt's "Candid Camera" routines is to see inanity cross the skin barrier, if that does it for you. X. Call for the show times.

PALMETTO THEATRE, 1417 Main Street, 254-5800

"Killer Elite." The title of Sam Peckinpah's new movie undoubtedly tells all you need to know other than it stars James Caan and Robert Duvall. PG. Shows at 3, 5, 7, and 9 throughout the week. The late show on the 20th and 21st will be "Pink Floyd."

RICHLAND MALL I THEATRE, Richland Mall, 782-2228

"On a Clear Day You Can See Forever." Barbra Streisand, Jack Nicholson, and Bob Newhart in the Lerner and Loewe musical about a New York girl who has psychic powers. G. Call for the times. On the 25th the show will change to "Hindenburg," the new disaster film that features George C. Schott and some presumably spectacular effects.

RICHLAND MALL II THEATRE, Richland Mall, 782-2228

"The Adventures of the Wilderness Family" plays here as well. The Christmas show will be "The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes Smarter Brother," which has Gene Wilder, Marty Feldman, and Madeline Kahn in a Wilder written and directed story about the sleuth's heretofore unknown relation. "Family" is set for 3, 5, 7, and 9; no times yet available for "Smarter Brother." The late show on December 20th and 21st is "Woodstock."

CLUBS

TWO MACKS LOUNGE AND RESTAURANT, 2030 Devine Street, 799-3847

"Nappy Patch" is set for Saturday and Sunday, the 19th and 20th. The club will be open next week, however the entertainment has not been specified as yet. The usual cover for shows is $1 per person, $1.50 for couples.

THE PUMPERNICKEL, Arcade Mall, Downtown, 254-0775

Lee Bell next Monday (the 22nd) followed by Ed Gordon on Tuesday, Bird Fish Thursday, L.G. Walker and Rob Crosby Friday, and Jim, Lee, and Connie on Saturday. The club will be closed Christmas eve. There's now a cover charge of $1 on the weekends.

THE LEFT GUARD, 2728 Rosewood Drive, 799-2575

The ever popular "Mother's Finest" plays both nights on the weekend of the 19th followed by "Sweet Fire" next week. Cover is typically $2 or $2.50 for the shows, which start around 9.

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